Summary of City of Flint (City) Actions In Response to the EPA Emergency Administrative Order Updated: May 5, 2017

Chapters 52, 57, 59a & 59b: Weekly Report Regarding Flint Water Plant Operations May 5, 2017.

EPA Order Due Date: Weekly

The DEQ held a conference call with the Flint Water Treatment Plant Supervisor on May 5, 2017, to review and discuss the summary of water quality and corrosion control parameters reported on the City's April and May operation report completed to date and a summary of water quality parameters collected for the seven-day period from Thursday, April 27, 2017, to Wednesday, May 3, 2017, from the ten sites monitored weekly. Data review (from the MOR) and enhanced weekly distribution system data is summarized below. Please note: SITE NAME is being used for water quality data instead of West Side until the reservoir is placed back into service. The City has scheduled an inspection of the West Side reservoir on May 22, 2017, with a professional inspection company.

The following observations were noted:

- The supplemental phosphate dosage was consistent and ranged between 2.49 and 2.65 milligrams per liter. The phosphate residuals measured at the plant tap ranged from 3.5 to 3.8 milligrams per liter entering the distribution system.
- All pH measurements were greater than 7.0 at all ten of the Enhanced Water Quality Monitoring (EWQM) sites and the Point of Entry (Control Station #2) to the system. The pH levels ranged from 7.25 to 7.46 in the water received from Great Lakes Water Authority (GLWA); from 7.24 to 7.50 at Plant tap; and from 7.26 to 7.46 at the ten distribution system sites.
- The City's Sodium Hydroxide feed for pH control held steady at 2.0 milligrams per liter at Control Station #2.
- The phosphate residual at the ten established, weekly distribution system sites ranged between 3.5 and 3.7 milligrams per liter.
- Iron levels at EWQM sites ranged from 0.01 to 0.09 milligrams per liter. Plant tap iron concentrations measured 0.01 milligrams per liter in the last week.
- The supplemental chlorine feed at Control Station #2 ranged from 1.12 to 1.18 milligrams per liter and the plant tap free chlorine residuals ranged from 1.8 to 1.9 milligrams per liter.
- The free chlorine residuals at the City's 25 monitoring sites in the distribution system ranged from 0.75 to 1.80 milligrams per liter. The low residual was at MLK Boulevard, and the high residual was at Western Avenue.